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SUBJECT: SECRETARY'S VISIT TO MEXICO: COMMUNICATIONS CABLE

-- TRAFFIC

1. POST WILL BE EXPECTED TO PROVIDE 24-HOUR COVERAGE DUE TO ADDITIONAL HIGH PRECEDENCE TRAFFIC TO AND FROM PARTY. COVERAGE SHOULD COMMENCE NO LATER THAN 24 HOURS PRIOR TO ARRIVAL OF PARTY AND CONTINUE 12 HOURS AFTER DEPARTURE OF THE PARTY. POST SHOULD ADVISE THE DEPARTMENT PROMPTLY OF ANY TDY COMMUNICATOR REQUIREMENTS.

2. THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARIAT (S/S) MEMBERS OF THE SECRETARY'S PARTY WILL CONTACT THE C&R OFFICER UPON ARRIVAL AT POST TO COORDINATE DETAILS OF SUPPORT.

3. AS OUTLINED IN STATE 085417 (15 APRIL 1975) AND DEPARTMENT A-4945 (21 JULY 1975), ALL TRAFFIC FROM T;E DEPARTMENT FOR THE SECRETARY OR HIS PARTY WILL BE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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ADDRESSED TO USDEL SECRETARY IN MEXICO. MESSAGES FROM

THE SECRETARY TO THE DEPARTMENT OR OTHER POSTS WILL BE FROM USDEL SECRETARY IN MEXICO. TRIP POSTS WILL NOT REPEAT NOT ORIGINATE TRAFFIC FROM USDEL SECRETARY UNTIL THE ARRIVAL OF THE SECRETARY AND UNTIL THE ACCOMPANYING

S/S SUPPORT OFFICER FURNISHES THE BEGINNING SECTO NUMBER.

4. ALL TRAFFIC FROM THE DEPARTMENT FOR THE SECRETARY WILL CARRY A SEQUENTIAL "TOSEC" SERIES NUMBER FOLLOWING THE STATE MESSAGE REFERENCE NUMBER (MRN). CABLES FROM THE SECRETARY WILL CARRY A "SECTO" SERIES NUMBER AS THE MRN. SECTO CABLES WILL BE SIGNED "KISSINGER" AND MUST BE CLEARED BY S/S.

5. IT IS ABSOLUTELY ESSENTIAL THAT TRIP POSTS INSURE THAT ALL TOSEC/SECTO TRAFFIC BE GIVEN PRIORITY HANDLING AHEAD OF COMPETING POST TRAFFIC OF SIMILAR PRECEDENCE. ALL TOSEC TRAFFIC WILL CARRY AT LEAST PRIORITY PRECEDENCE. ONLY IN TIME-SENSITIVE CASES WILL IMMEDIATE OR FLASH PRECEDENCE BE USED. HOWEVER, ALL SECTO TRAFFIC SHOULD CARRY AT LEAST IMMEDIATE PRECEDENCE. COMMUNICATIONS SHOULD REQUEST ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT FOR ALL TELEGRAMS FROM USDEL SECRETARY AND FOR ALL URGENT LATERAL TRAFFIC CONCERNING THE TRIP. PARTICULAR ATTENTION SHOULD BE GIVEN TO USDEL-ORIGINATED MESSAGES OF HIGH PRECEDENCE. FLASH MESSAGES, FOR INSTANCE, MUST BE RETRANSMITTED IF NOT FORMALLY ACKNOWLEDGED WITHIN 30 MINUTES. (EXPERIENCE AND DIFFICULTIES FROM PREVIOUS TRIPS INDICATE THESE PROCEDURES ARE PARTICULARLY IMPORTANT.)

6. WHEN THE SECRETARY DEPARTS, POST SHOULD SEND A LAST SENT/RECEIVED MESSAGE TO THE DEPARTMENT GIVING THE LAST TOSEC NUMBER AND MCN NUMBER RECEIVED AND DELIVERED, AND THE LAST SECTO NUMBER AND MCN NUMBER USED. THIS TELEGRAM SHOULD BE SENT IN THE POST'S MRN SERIES, NOT REPEAT NOT IN THE USDEL SECRETARY SERIES. IT SHOULD NOT REPEAT NOT CARRY A SECTO NUMBER.

7. S/S WILL BE ON CALL 24-HOURS A DAY. COMMUNICATIONS SUPERVISORS SHOULD ALERT S/S ON IMPORTANT MESSAGES LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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CONCERNING THE SECRETARY OR OTHER MEMBERS OF HIS PARTY. S/S SHOULD ALSO BE ALERTED IMMEDIATELY IF THE POST EXPERIENCES COMMUNICATION PROBLEMS WHICH WILL DELAY OR HALT MESSAGE TRAFFIC. S/S WILL KEEP COMMUNICATIONS UNITS INFORMED OF-WHEREABOUTS OF S/S TEAMS AT ALL TIMES.

8. COMMUNICATORS SHOULD NOT REPEAT NOT ACCEPT ANY SECTO MESSAGE WITHOUT S/S CLEARANCE. IF ANY NON-SECTO CABLE IS

DELIVERED TO A COMMUNICATOR WHICH PERTAINS TO SECRETARY'S VISIT, THE SHIFT SUPERVISOR SHOULD CONSULT WITH S/S TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE CABLE SHOULD BE IN THE SECTO SERIES. TOSEC CABLES SHOULD BE REPRODUCED ON 8 X 10-1"2

INCH PAPER IF POSSIBLE AND ONE SIDE ONLY.

9. S/S WILL MAKE ALL REPEAT ALL DISTRIBUTION OF TOSEC/ SECTO TRAFFIC AND OF ALL CABLES FOR THE SECRETARY'S PARTY. S/S WILL GIVE THE EMBASSY AND OTHERS COPIES OF TOSEC/SECTO CABLES RELATING TO THEIR AREAS OF RESPONSIBILITY AS APPROPRIATE. IN MOST CASES, HOWEVER, THIS WILL NOT BE NECESSARY SINCE TOSEC TRAFFIC INTENDED ALSO FOR POST ACTION OR INFORMATION SHOULD BE ADDRESSED BOTH TO USDEL SECRETARY AND THE POST(S) CONCERNED. BEFORE THE SECRETARY'S ARRIVAL AT POST OR IN THE PERIOD FOLLOWING THE VISIT, POSTS MAY RECEIVE SECTO MESSAGES FROM THE SECRETARY OR HIS PARTY. TRIP POSTS SHOULD CONSIDER SUCH SECTO MESSAGES AS POST ACTION UNLESS THEY ARE SPECIFICALLY SLUGGED FOR THE ARRIVING OR DEPARTING S/S TEAM.

10. UPON RECEIPT OF THIS TELEGRAM, POST SHOULD SLOT ONE COPY OF EVERY CABLE RELATING TO THE VISIT FOR S/S. FOR DURATION OF THE SECRETARY'S ACTUAL VISIT POST WILL PROVIDE S/S WITH:

-- 10 COPIES OF ALL TOSEC/SECTO TRAFFIC OF NODIS SENSITIVITY

-- 15 COPIES OF EXDIS OR LOWER SENSITIVITY TRAFFIC

-- 10 (NODIS) OR 15 (EXDIS OR LOWER) COPIES OF SIGNIFICANT EMBASSY OR MISSION CABLES. LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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COMMUNICATIONS SECTIONS AT POSTS SHOULD ENSURE THAT PROPER LOGS ARE MAINTAINED SHOWING TIME OF DELIVERY OF ALL TOSEC/SECTO TRAFFIC TO S/S PARTY.

11. BECAUSE OF SENSITIVITY, THE COMMUNICATIONS SHIFT SUPERVISOR SHOULD HANDLE NODIS PERSONALLY AND MAKE NOTE OF ALL PERSONNEL WITH ACCESS TO MESSAGES DURING THE PROCESSING. ALL TOSEC/SECTO WORKING FILES, INCLUDING TAPES, SHOULD BE DESTROYED UPON DEPARTURE OF THE S/S TEAM.

12. LATERAL TELEGRAMS FOR THE SECRETARY FROM OTHER TRIP POSTS MUST BE ADDRESSED TO THE GEOGRAPHIC POST INVOLVED USING ESPECIALLY ASSIGNED ROUTING INDICATORS, TYPED

IMMEDIATELY BEFORE THE TEXT, INCLUDING THE SLUG "FOR THE SECRETARY" OR "FOR (NAME)" AS APPROPRIATE. THE DEPARTMENT MUST ALWAYS BE AT LEAST AN INFO ADDRESSEE.

13. THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARIAT AUTHORIZES TRIP POSTS TO SEND ALL CATEGORIES OF NODIS TELEGRAMS Laterally for the duration of the Secretary's current trip. This means that drafting officers can list other posts as addressees and use passing slug "FOR THE SECRETARY". The Department must always be at least an info addressee.

14. CARE MUST BE TAKEN IN THE ROUTING OF LATERAL NODIS TELEGRAMS. TRIP POSTS HAVING STATE-CONTROLLED CRYPTO-SECURED CIRCUITS ARE AUTHORIZED TO ROUTE ALL PRIVACY TRAFFIC UP TO AND INCLUDING NODIS CHEROKEE ON-LINE VIA THESE CIRCUITS DIRECTLY TO THE SECRETARY AND OTHER TRIP POSTS (USING THE GEOGRAPHIC POST NAME) IN ACP-127 FORMAT LINES 7 OR 8 AND USING THE ON-LINE ROUTING INDICATORS ESTABLISHED. FOR LATERAL TRANSMISSION OF NODIS CABLES TO NON-TRIP POSTS, THE CRYPTO-GUARD ROUTING INDICATOR, RUEHCR, MUST BE USED.

15. OCCASIONALLY, WHEN SPEED IS ESSENTIAL, CERTAIN SENSITIVE MESSAGES MAY EMPLOY THE CAPTION QUOTE EXDIS DISTRIBUTE AS NODIS, UNQUOTE. (THIS CAPTION SHOULD ONLY BE CONSIDERED IN ADDRESSING URGENT NODIS TRAFFIC TO OR LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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FROM POSTS WHICH DO NOT HAVE STATE-TO-STATE PRIVACY ON-LINE CAPABILITY.) LACK OF NECESSITY TO DOUBLE ENCRYPT MESSAGE ON EITHER END CAN MEAN AS MUCH AS ONE AND ONE-HALF HOURS SAVED IN PROCESSING TIME. ALL SUCH MESSAGES TRANSIT ALL RELAY POINTS, INCLUDING THE DEPARTMENT, AUTOMATICALLY. ADDRESSEES ARE CAUTIONED THAT THIS CAPTION SHOULD BE INTERPRETED LITERALLY. ALTHOUGH THESE MESSAGES WILL BE TRANSMITTED EXDIS, UPON RECEIPT ALL ADDRESSEES SHOULD FOLLOW STANDARD NODIS PROCEDURES, AS MODIFIED BY TOSEC/SECTO CONSTRAINTS, IN MAKING DISTRIBUTION.

16. THE DEPARTMENT WILL SEND A DAILY SPECIAL SUMMARY FOR THE SECRETARY. IT WILL CONSIST OF TWO SECTIONS (SECTION A - TELEGRAPHIC SUMMARY AND SECTION B - INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY) TRANSMITTED IN ONE TOSEC MESSAGE. THE SPECIAL SUMMARY TELEGRAM SHOULD BE RECEIVED BY 0400 DAILY. IF NOT RECEIVED BY THIS TIME, THE COMMUNICATIONS SUPERVISOR SHOULD, ON HIS OWN INITIATIVE, SEND AN IMMEDIATE SERVICE. THE SPECIAL SUMMARY SHOULD BE DELIVERED TO THE S/S TEAM OR OTHER DESIGNATES. MATS SHOULD BE PROOFED BEFORE REPRODUCTION.

17. THE SPECIAL SUMMARIES WILL BE SENT FROM THE DEPARTMENT OPERATIONS CENTER, CAPTIONED NODIS OR EXDIS AND POSSIBLY CODEWORD. INSTRUCTIONS ON THE CODEWORD ASPECT OF THE SUMMARY ARE CONTAINED IN STATE 148625 AND 148626

(JULY 1974).

18. POSTS ARE REMINDED THAT SY CHANNEL TRAFFIC CONCERNING THE VISIT CAN BE GIVEN ONLY REPEAT ONLY TO THE SY ADVANCE AGENT OR THE REGIONAL SECURITY OFFICER, NOT REPEAT NOT TO S/S.

19. EXDIS CAPTION MAY BE REMOVED FROM THIS MESSAGE UPON ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE VISIT. KISSINGER

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